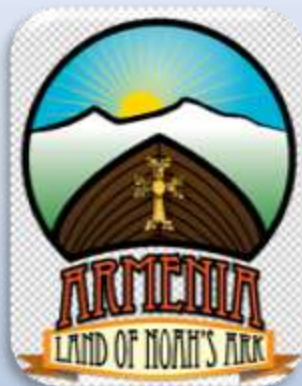


Festival Dates  
Sept. 22<sup>nd</sup> -26<sup>th</sup> 2010  
Wednesday- Sunday



St. John Armenian Church

## First Nation to Adopt Christianity

*Welcome to "The Land of Noah's Ark" St. John Armenian Church's Festival. For over forty years we have gathered yearly for a very exciting weekend of fellowship, unity, celebration and revitalization of our faith and culture.*

*We would like to share with all the Armenian community and those who would like to learn more about our culture and our Church this festive time. This year we start on Wednesday, September 22<sup>nd</sup> through Sunday, September 26<sup>th</sup> 2010.*

*Please take the time to view the activities of this year's Festival. You will see additions from last year and improvements on the programs we already have. Each of the items listed below will have a sub page which will give you an opportunity to look at more detailed information. As of July 20<sup>th</sup>, the following are events and programs that will be taking place:*



### **ACYOA Mid-West Basketball Tournament**

See Application for more information

### **Shopping:**

Gift-a-Rama, St. John's Book Store, Fine Arts, Country Store, Grandma's Attic, Kids' Toy Store

### **Food:**

Dinners, Hot Foods, Pastries, Country Store and Deli, Ice Cream Snack Shop, Hye Bar, Kids' Snack Shop, Kids' Build a Bear Picnic.

### **Culture:**

Wednesday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>, Museum Tour and Luncheon Welcoming Other Churches, 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of "John Meridian's Praying Men Sculpture" (see other works of his)  
Language Classes, Dance and Choir Performances, Armenian Story Telling,

### **Chances:**

Special Raffles, Tavloo Tournament, Casino Night  
Welcoming Night Silent and Live Auction

### **Who's Making It Happen:**

Benefactors, Supporters and Donors, Church Groups and Armenian Organizations

### **Children's Area:**

Carnival Games and Rides, Petting Zoo, Special Performances, Demonstrations, Arts and Crafts, Friday Night Laser Tag and Teen Hang Out

### **Special Features:**

Car show



# Mt. Ararat



*There is much more to come. We are putting the finishing touches on two big events for the weekend. Keep checking back*

If you would like to get involved you can contact the sub chairs for each area.  
Their e-mail address is located on the bottom of their pages.

Or email Paul Yousoufian at [pramy1@gmail.com](mailto:pramy1@gmail.com)

Please include your full name, phone number and email address for contact information.

*How big was Noah's Ark?*

